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Victoria, B.C., 15th July, 1879. jy16

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OF ALL KINDS—FOR SALE AT
THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE,
my3 Next the Postoffice.

NOTICES.

TESTIMONIAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED, MASTER OF THE wrecked ship Becherdass Ambiadass begs to return his sincere thanks to Mr. EMANUEL COX, keeper of Cape Beale light, and MRS. COX for their kindness and attention to himself and family under the most trying circumstances. He has also to particularly notice the bravery of Mr. Cox in assisting to man a canoe and accompanying the mate of the ship to Dodger's Cove for the purpose of securing the valuable assistance of Captain Spring and his crew, to whom he is also greatly indebted for many kindnesses.
W. S. WILLIAMS.
Victoria, B.C., July 31, 1879. au1dw

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, TWO months from date, I will make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of Land in Coast district, in Telegraph Passage. Commencing at a certain blazed hemlock, near high-water mark, running east 40 chains; thence south, 40 chains; thence west, to Telegraph Passage; thence to the initial point.

Application to purchase was made by me on the 15th November, 1877.
W. H. WOODCOCK.
Victoria, July 8th, 1879. jy23dw2m

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of Samuel Walker, an Insolvent.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS BEEN ISSUED in this cause, and the creditors are notified to meet at office of assignee in Barkerville on Friday the 15th day of August next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, July 4th, 1879. jy5dw

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A. B. FERGUSON.
Clinton, July 15th, 1879. jy26dw1m

NOTICE OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE ENTERED INTO partnership at the premises lately occupied by Hie Lee, situate on Cormorant street in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, as general traders, under the style of Tie & Wey.
LAM TIE.
LAM WEY.
Witness—
HENRY C. COURTNEY, Attorney.
Victoria, July 1st, 1879. jy22

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL NOT BE RESPONsible for any debt contracted in his name, or on his behalf, unless under a written order from him.
J. JUDSON YOUNG.
Victoria, 15th July, 1879. jy16

In the Matter of Ludyer Brouzseau.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO OR HAVING ANY property part of this estate, are requested to pay the amount or hand over the property to the Administrator, John George Green, of Quesnelle, B. C. And all persons having claims against the Estate are requested to furnish the Administrator with particulars of the same.
Dated at Victoria, July 28th, 1879.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
jy29 Solicitors for the Administrator.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Thomas Seymour, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons having any claims against the said estate are required to forward them, on or before the 1st day of October, 1879, to
JAMES CHARLES PREVOST,
jy5 Administrator.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for Payments to be made to me.
jy30 LD. LOWENBERG

THE PARTNERSHIP

WHICH HAS HERETOFORE EXISTED BEtween the undersigned under the name of Hayward & Jenkinson has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Mr. Charles Hayward, who will henceforth carry on the business on his own account, will receive all monies owing to and discharge all liabilities of the late firm.
CHAS. HAYWARD,
ROBT. JENKINSON,
Witness—R. E. JACKSON.
26th June, 1879. m

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HITHERTO EXISTING between Alexander Phillips and Paul Bocion has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All outstanding accounts will be collected by Alexander Phillips, who will also pay all liabilities and continue the business.
Victoria, B. C., June 24th, 1879.
A. PHILLIPS.
P. BOCION.
Witness—M. CAMBUSA. je25

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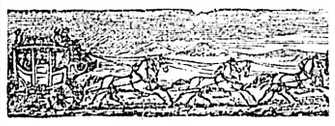

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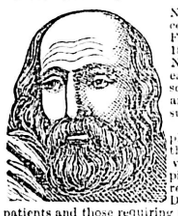

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GENERAL MEEEING.

A GENERAL MEEEING OF THE LOWHEE Quartz Mining Company will be held at the Company's office, Barkerville, on Monday, August 25th, 1879, at 7:30 p.m., to consider the expediency of dissolving the corporation and dividing the assets of the company among the shareholders.
By order of the Board of Directors.
CHARLES WILSON, Sectv.
Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 2nd, 1879. au10dw

WAVERLY HYDRAULIC MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

Location of Works, Grouse Creek, Cariboo.

ASSESSMENT No. 1.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 28th day of July, 1879, an assessment of $3 per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the First day of August, 1879, to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on 17th day of Aug., 1879, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 22nd day of September, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.
CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, B. C., Aug. 2nd, 1879. au10dw

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO. (LIMITED)

Location of Works, Wilkinson Lode, Cariboo.

THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON THE FOLLOWing described stock on account of Assessment No. 5, levied on the 15th day of June, 1879, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective Shareholders, as follows:

Name.	No. of Certif.	No. of Shares	Amt.
D. J. Bigelow	383	100	$ 1 00
do	384	100	1 00
do	385	100	1 00
Louis Erb	595	100	1 00
do	596	100	1 00
do	597	100	1 00
do	598	100	1 00
do	599	100	1 00
do	600	100	1 00
do	601	100	1 00
do	602	50	50
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Walter Budd	745	1000	10 00
J. H. Gaston	8	100	1 00
do	641	100	1 00
J. C. Keith	168	500	5 00
W. W. Armstrong	243	100	1 00
D. M. Eberts	725	100	1 00
E. G. Prior	265	500	5 00
J. Burns	792	100	1 00
do	793	100	1 00
J. W. Finlayson	640	50	50
M. Redman	763	1000	10 00
N. McFarland	766	500	5 00
J. W. Moxley	805	150	1 50
W. M. Cameron	825	350	3 50
J. Sullivan	826	500	5 00

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary will be sold at the Company's Office, Barkerville, B. C., on the Fifteenth day of August, at the hour of Five in the afternoon of said day to pay said delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. CHARLES WILSON,
jy29dw Secretary, Barkerville, B. C.

QUESNELLE QUARTZ MINING COMPANY (LIMITED.)

Location of Works, - - - Hixon Creek, B. C

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held this 5th day of July, 1879, the 10th Assessment of of One cent per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on the 7th day of July, 1879, to the Secretary, at the office of the Company, Quesnelle, B. C.

Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on the 16th Aug., 1879, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment of same together with costs of advertising shall be made before, will be sold at public auction on Saturday, 6th day of Sept., 1879, at the office of the said Company, Quesnelle, B.C., to pay the delinquent assessments, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.
R. J. SKINNER, Secretary.
Quesnelle, B.C., 5th July, 1879. jy13dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 6 OF ONE CENT PER SHARE has this day been levied, payable at the Company's office in Victoria on or before Friday, the 29th day of August, 1879, date of delinquency.
By order of the Directors.
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 1st August, 1879. au2

TENDERS.

PACIFIC RAILWAY TENDERS.

TENDERS FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF about one hundred miles of Railway, West of Red River, in the Province of Manitoba, will be received by the undersigned until noon on Friday, 1st August next.

The Railway will commence at Winnipeg, and run North-westerly to connect with the main line in the neighborhood of the 4th base line, and thence Westerly between Prairie la Portage and Lake Manitoba.

Tenders must be on the printed form, which, with all other information, may be had at the Pacific Railway Engineer's Offices in Ottawa and Winnipeg.
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.
Department of Railways and Canals,
OTTAWA, 16th June, 1879. jy6

HORSES FOR SALE!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SOLD 24 HORSES in this city during the last month and has a

Few left Ready Broken to Harness and Saddle,

Which he would like to sell TO-MORROW at J. P. Davies & Co.'s Cattle Sale Yard, as he wishes to return home on Tuesday's boat.
au10dw R. STEVENSON.

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REFERENCE:—Allen Francis, Esq., U. S. Consul.
jy30

DENTISTRY.

DENTAL NOTICE

PERSONS REQUIRING MY SERVICES PROFESsionally will please apply in time, as I shall be absent from this city for five months from 1st Oct., 1879, till the 1st April, 1880.
DR. J. CALDER,
jy3 3m Dentist, Fort street, Victoria.

Insolvent Act of 1875 and Amending Acts.

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Merchandise,
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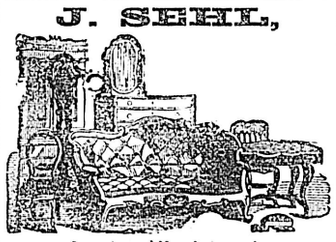

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Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, AUG. 16TH, 1879

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THE TORONTO MAIL AND THE POLICY OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT TOWARDS NANAIMO.

The just indignation which the Toronto *Mail* has expressed towards the Government of this Province in consequence of its unfair treatment of the district of Nanaimo, has aroused the ire of our contemporary, who undertakes to read the *Mail* a lecture on the amenities of the Government press. The *Standard* bitterly complains because the *Mail* has taken up the cudgels in behalf of downtrodden Nanaimo, and says plainly that it is the duty of the *Mail* to support the Victoria Government for the reason that it is friendly(?) disposed towards the Ottawa Government. A queer doctrine this. The liberty of the subject is to be curtailed; the rights of a constituency are to be invaded; a twelvemonth is to be allowed to elapse between Courts in the second largest district on the Island; and a witness is to swelter ten months in gaol awaiting the trial of his assailants who are allowed out on bail. All these outrages are to be perpetrated with impunity and the Toronto *Mail* must bottle its indignation under peril of disturbing the cordial (?) relations which are said to exist between the Local Government and that of the Dominion. Such is the covert threat conveyed by the *Standard*'s article. Support the WALKEM Government in its neglect of Nanaimo and its disregard of public and private rights or the WALKEM Government will give the MACDONALD Government "fits." Is not this a pretty programme with which to meet the *Mail's* apposite remarks and our charges? No attempt made to explain why matters are as they are at Nanaimo; no denial of their truth;—but a simple declaration of war against the *Mail* and the party it supports in Canada if any further allusion is made to *facts* that are patent to everyone here. Why, it is not more than three weeks ago that the *Standard* published a series of articles from the *Globe* which attacked the Dominion Government for appointing Mr. DEWDNEY to a position he is well qualified to fill, and another from the same paper attacking Mr. BARNARD's candidature which the *Mail* supports. Either the charges respecting Nanaimo are true or false. Either Nanaimo has been shabbily or well treated. Either she received a portion of the $4500 voted for "roads, streets and bridges" or she did not get a cent. Either a Court has been held there since last fall or it has not been held. Either a witness has been confined ten months in gaol or he has been at liberty during that period. These are the points that the *Mail* has asked the Local Government to explain. The matter is not one of politics or sentiment;—they are matters of fact for which the public here as well as in Toronto are looking for explanations. Threats will be of no avail.

A Stranger's Thoughts.

Approaching Victoria upon a clear morning the sight is grand; the mountanious scenery and the cloud-capped hills, covered with snow glistening in the rising sun, as well as the picturesque views of the indented shore, all rivet attention. But more charming than all is the appearance of Victoria, that seems to increase in interest the nearer one comes to it. A more pleasant site for a city would be hard to find. The regularity and fine condition of its streets, with very superior blocks of buildings—not to speak of the creditable public structures—but above all the grandeur of private residences, many of rich architectural design, while no city of the population of 10,000 can present so many home-comfort dwellings—where, in some cases, at least, extensive gardens, with choice fruit and handsome ornamental trees, predominate, while beautiful flowers, worthy of the tropics, line the walks. With a climate to suit the most fastidious this certainly ought to be a flourishing city.

The many well-filled stores and cheerful countenances to be met upon the streets would argue that pleasure prevails in most households. Yet a little observation would convince a close business man that all is not "sunshine" in and about Victoria at present, notwithstanding kind Nature has evidently done her part. The business outlook is not what could be desired. It is with the object of trying to ferret out the cause of drooping spirits that these lines are written. It is quite evident in a favored land like this opportunities have been neglected. It is only necessary to witness the extensive importations of flour and other articles for consumption, and to know that farming is neglected upon Vancouver Island as well as the Mainland, to learn where a wrong policy is pursued. A country to be prosperous requires not only consumers but also producers, either in raising for market or manufacturing interests to build up a population. It is a well-known fact that grain growing encourages the erection of grist-mills; sometimes a good grist-mill in a neighborhood will lead to the cultivation of wheat. We will leave the application of this idea to the people of this Island especially. Again, it seems a little strange to see large quantities of wool shipped from here to other countries to be manufactured into various articles and then brought back and sold to many of those who dealt in the wool originally. There was a time when cotton was taken from the Southern States to England and after being manufactured returned to be used upon the plantations. A change in this policy is partly the cause of the depression in England's manufacturing districts at the present season. How long the people of British Columbia will continue their suicidal policy we cannot say. Certain it is no better opening could be found for a woolen factory than is to be found in this vicinity. The capital is lying idle and experienced workmen are to be had; all it wants is confidence. Why not have confidence in building up justifiable manufacturing interests where there is no likelihood of failure, as well as in investing liberally in wild-cat banks or companies that never had a solid foundation? Looking round carefully openings are visible for a flour mill, a woolen factory, a pottery, improvements in tanneries and a few other branches that will suggest themselves to the local intelligent reader. In places where shipyards or factories exist, towns grow up and a weekly circulation of money to support the farmer, the gardener, the store-keeper, the grocer, etc., bridges out hard times in commercial affairs. It is population that this fine country wants, and the more intellectual and able-bodied citizens willing to work that can be induced to settle here the better. The mountains may be aching with minerals, gold, silver, copper, lead and the like, but unless a spirit of enterprise is backed by capital, no gain is to be expected, at least for the present. We all know that the fishing interests of our inland rivers are unreliable, even for a short season of the year. As to stock raising inland we believe all parties admit that with present low prices and a dubious future, for a few years, the thing is overdone. The demand upon the Pacific coast is comparatively light, while the experiment of taking cattle over the mountains to Manitoba is not yet tested. It is possible two reasons may answer for the journey—wintering by the way—the question next arises can this be done and compete with the immense ranches of Montana? However, the subject we desire to awaken attention to is the building up of home industries, securing a desirable, thriving population that will be a source of profit in peace and a strong arm of defence should they be required in future. The man or men who would move in building up the manufacturing interests mentioned, or any other of a like object, would deserve well of British Columbia. Those who have the ability and look indifferently on while the men are pressed for bread for themselves and families do not deserve to be classed among praiseworthy, live citizens; but rather belong to the selfish class. Of course it is necessary and right that capital should be carefully guarded and amply rewarded. Yet it is the use of it that increases the gains, and at the same time diffuses a laudable spirit in the community. It seems to us that a movement for increased manufacturing interests at the present time would be productive of good. There is no use holding back with arms folded and head down waiting for the railroad. That announcement would be welcome any time.

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VICTORIA, B. C., Aug. 7th, 1879.

English Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

The examination of James Morton, one of the principal debtors of the City of Glasgow Bank, and now of course a bankrupt, throws some interesting light upon the manner in which the business of that establishment was conducted. Morton says that the Bank used to give him from £20,000 to £50,000 in a day upon his I O Us, which were redeemed a few days after, and that the transactions never found their way into the books. In nine years he thus obtained eight millions sterling, and with such splendid backing he was enabled to carry on an enormous business without any capital of his own. Unfortunately the debit balance against him always showed an upward tendency. In 1861 he began by owing the Bank about £4,000, and ended in 1876 with half a million. This is not a solitary instance of an enormous unsecured debt to the bank, and under such a system it is not remarkable that the collapse was so complete. In return for these favors he was in the habit of buying drafts on London just before account days to a large sum, which would then appear in the bank returns as cash, and be redeemed after the cooking process for which they were required was concluded.

The Eton and Harrow cricket match at Leeds has brought the London season to its recognized conclusion. Fortunately there was one day of bright summer weather, and the concourse of fashionable visitors was very large, although the most of the Royal family and many other members of the great world were at Chiselhurst. The cricket which only the schoolfellows of the players look at, was very poor, and the match when apparently turning in favour of Harrow, was drawn in consequence of the usual drizzle that has taken place for the last few months. The season has, of course, been a failure. The tradesmen complain that they have never done so little business. All outdoor entertainments have been spoiled by incessant rains. The tightness of money market, the war, a failing revenue, and diminished incomes in almost all classes of society have had their effect in an enforced economy which a good many heads of families are not altogether disposed to regret.

Mr. Tracey Turnerelli has written one more letter to the newspapers anent the famous golden wreath. Deeply hurt at the obstinate refusal of Lord Beaconsfield to accept the tribute of admiration purchased by the pence of so many thousands of workingmen, Mr. T. T. made public his readiness to return each of those pennies to the pockets from which it was originally extracted upon applications made through the post in proper form. The offer was generous indeed, for to get his penny back the subscriber would have to spend another in postage, leaving out of consideration the value of the paper and envelope, and the labor of writing a letter. The investment, even assuming that the offer was genuine, must result in a dead loss, and Turnerelli now proclaims with much satisfaction that only one subscriber has asked to have his penny back, and he adds in due time it will be forwarded to him. He regards the unwillingness of the British workingman to go through this unprofitable method of receiving back his copper coin as an incontestible proof that his feelings are wounded by Lord Beaconsfield's behaviour. Perhaps on reflection his Lordship will think better of it, and in the meantime Mr. Turnerelli is going away to enjoy the holiday so well earned. But what will become of the wreath, should Lord Beaconsfield remain obdurate? Will Mr. Turnerelli wear it himself, and transmit it to his descendants as an heirloom, or will he reduce it into current coin of the realm?

A very curious murder is reported from Derby. A young man named Gerald Mainwaring, of good social position, but dissolute habits, was driving a dogcart through the streets of that town the other day in a manner which threatened serious danger to the rest of the traffic. He was completely intoxicated, and in due time was stopped and taken into custody, together with his companion, a woman named Annie Green, also intoxicated, and taken to the police station. Arrived there, he was charged with furious driving and being too drunk to take care of his horse. The woman testified to her sympathy by very violent conduct, using bad language and slapping the face of one of the constables. The man said, "We can have no more of this," and moved towards her with the intention of using some forcible means of restraint. Mainwaring, who had hitherto been leaning against the table with drunken unconcern, hereupon roused himself, drew a revolver from his pocket and fired at a constable named Moss, shooting him in the body. A general rush was made to disarm him, but three more shots were fired, one of which hit another policeman in the arm, another made a hole in his helmet, and the third fortunately missed its mark. Moss died within four and twenty hours, and Mainwaring has been committed to take his trial for murder. In the dogcart were found about three thousand rounds of revolver cartridges and what motive induced this madman to lay in so large a stock of ammunition can only be conjectured. Shooting by sight is not a favorite pastime in England, but it is possible that Mainwaring had some crack-brained idea of indulging in that dangerous sport. The doctors say that homicidal mania is sometimes brought on by excessive drinking, and it is probably that this will be urged on behalf of the prisoner at his trial.

American Mail.

[Per steamer Isabel.]

Nelson Bogard bargained to buy the farm on which he and his mother lived, at Dark Bend, Ind. The owner was seen going to the place to deliver the deed and get the money, but he was never known to return, and his horse remained among Bogard's stock. The missing man was a stranger, and nobody was particularly interested in his fate, or in disposing Bogard's assertion that he had departed afoot after selling his horse and farm. That was seven years ago. Afterward, a boy who had been reared on the Bogard farm was found hanging in a barn. Old Mrs. Bogard fell ill recently at the age of 77, and believing that she was about to die, confessed that she and her son murdered the man for his money, and killed the boy because he knew something about the crime. But she recovered, and is now in jail along with her guilty son.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 30.—A sensation has been caused in Williamsburg over the elopement of an eighteen year old daughter of Amos. B. Stillman, editor of one of the New York dailies, with Wm. H. Guild, a prominent business man, aged seventy-six. After marriage the parties sailed for Europe.

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Public Works Dept.,
Victoria, B.C., 12th Aug., 1879. au13

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ROGERS & WILSON, Plaintiffs; HENRY McDERMOTT, of Barkerville, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.
GEO. BYRNES,
Official Assignee.
Barkerville, B.C., Aug. 11, 1879. au12dwtf
[Government Gazette copy.]

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of STEPHEN M. NELSON, an Insolvent

THE INSOLVENT HAVING FILED WITH ME a Deed of Composition and Discharge, signed by the requisite proportion of his creditors, notice is hereby given that a meeting of his creditors will be held at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Monday the 25th inst., at 11 a.m., to take such deed or offer of composition and discharge into consideration.
C. T. DUPONT, Assignee.
Victoria, August 8th, 1879. au10

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PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT MR. GEO. F. D. Simpson has been this day admitted into partnership by Mr. Henry Short, gunmaker and importer, Fort street, and the business will in future be conducted under the firm name of Short & Simpson, Gunmakers and Importers.

Fort street, Victoria, Aug. 8, 1879.
HENRY SHORT,
au9 GEORGE F. D. SIMPSON.

JOHN J. RUSSELL

THANKING THE PUBLIC FOR PAST FAVORS, begs most respectfully to announce that he has disposed of his Landeau and Stable to A. W. Lawson, and hopes a liberal patronage will be extended to his successor.
au9*1m JOHN J. RUSSELL.

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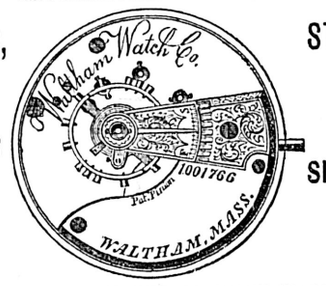

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CONSTITUTED BY SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

ANNUAL REPORT, 1879.

THE FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Company was held at Edinburgh on Tuesday the 22d April, 1879.

HENRY DAVIDSON, Esq., Muirhouse, in the Chair.

THE MANAGER submitted to the Meeting—

THE ANNUAL REPORT by the Directors as to the Progress of the Business.

REPORT on the Books and Accounts by the professional Auditor of the Company.

BALANCE-SHEETS of the Company's Affairs, certified by the Auditor and three of the Directors, in accordance with the Acts of Parliament constituting the Company.

A GENERAL and COMPARATIVE STATEMENT explanatory of the progress of the Business from 1825 to 1878.

RESULTS COMMUNICATED IN THE REPORT

AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1878 (2247 Proposals)..	£1,432,031 0 10
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1878 (1810 Policies).....	£1,111,005 3 4
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1878.....	£38,476 11 5
CLAIMS BY DEATH during the year 1878, exclusive of Bonus Additions.....	£439,397 13 8
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the last five years.....	£6,220,234 10 7
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November, 1878 (of which £1,309,911:13:9 is Re-assured with other Offices).....	£19,005,152 1 1

REVENUE UPWARDS OF EIGHT HUNDRED THOUSAND POUNDS STERLING PER ANNUM ACCUMULATED FUNDS, UPWARDS OF FIVE MILLIONS AND A QUARTER STERLING.

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STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,

Agents and Secretaries to the Local Board of Directors.

FIRE, LIFE AND MARINE INSURANCE AGENCY.

WHARF STREET, 15th July, 1879. jy16

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A YOUNG MAN, WHO IS A GOOD MATHEMAtician, salesman and warehouseman, and possesses first-class recommendations as to educational attainments and moral character, would be glad to obtain a situation in any honorable business capacity. Wages no object. Is anxious to obtain employment where he can be useful. Address "D. F." at *The Colonist* Office. au2

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WILL RE-OPEN ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 1ST.

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THE CLASSES IN THE KANE STREET LADIES School reopen on Monday, Aug. 11th.
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JAMES SYME,

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Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, AUG. 16TH, 1879.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Aug. 15—Sch Alert, West Coast
Sch Eliza, Burrard Inlet
Slp Inkermann, New Westminster

CLEARED.

Aug. 15—Sch Alert, West Coast
Sch Eliza, Nanaimo
Slp Hamley, New Westminster

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

W. R. CLARKE & CO. will sell at 12 o'clock, at salesroom, Desirable City and Country Property.

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, August 16.

BUTTER—Prime Island, 37½c ℔lb; Medium, 25@30c; New grass Cal., 25@30c.
CREAM--12½c. ℔lb.
CHEESE—Canadian, 30c. ℔lb.; Harris', Maple Ridge, 25c.; Cala., 20c.; East. Cream, 25c.
EGGS—Island, 50c. ℔doz.
CORNMEAL—02½c. ℔sack of 10lbs
FLOUR—Extra, $ 7℔ brl.
WHEAT—2½c. ℔lb.
BEANS—5c. ℔lb.
SPLIT PEAS—12½c. ℔lb
VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 1½c. ℔lb; Sweet do, 5c℔lb; Cabbage, 4@5c℔lb; Turnips, 37½c. ℔doz. bdls; Onions, 3 c. ℔ lb; Carrots, 3 bunches. 12½c; Green Peas, 2½c. ℔ lb.; Broccoli, 10c. ea; Lettuce, 25c ℔ doz; Tomatoes, 8c. ℔ lb; String Beans, 4c. ℔lb.
BACON—Breakfast, Heywood's Gilt Edge, 18c. ℔lb. Gosnell's, 16c; Oregon, 16@18c.
HAMS—Home Cured, Heywood's, 20c. ℔lb; Chicago, 20c.; Oregon, 18c; Shoulders, 12½c.
LARD—Tub, 16c. ℔lb; Chicago, 20c.
FISH—Cod, 5c. ℔ lb; Salmon, 6 c. ℔ lb; Boneless Cod, 10c; Soles, 5@6c; Halibut, 5c; Yarmouth Bloaters, 25c. ℔ doz.; Salt Salmon, 12½c. ℔lb; Herring, 1½c.; Sal. Trout, 8c.; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 12½c.; Smelt, 5c.; Salt Oolachans, 6c.; Sturgeon, 5c.; Whiting, 6c.; Bloaters, 10c.
CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.
FRUIT—Lemons, $1 ℔ doz.; Oranges, 50 @ 75c. Limes, 37½c. ℔doz.; Apples, 4@5c. ℔ lb; Los Angelos Lemons, 75c. ℔ doz.; Cherries, 15c ℔lb; Gooseberries, 6c ℔lb; Peaches, 15c. ℔lb; Pears, 8c.; Grapes, 10@12c.; Plums, 5@12½c; Melons, 50@62½c. ea.
DRIED APPLES—12½@15c. ℔lb
CANDIED FRUITS Lemon Citron and Orange, 75c. ℔lb.
CURRANTS—Zante 15@16c ℔lb; Black, 6c; Red, 4c
RAISINS—English Layers, 3½c ℔ lb.; Cala., 25c. Sultana, Valencia and Eleme, 25c.
FIGS—New, 50c. ℔lb.
MIXED SPICES—25c. ℔ tin.
TEA & COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ℔ lb; green, 28c. ℔lb; Tea, from 37½c. to $1 25 ℔ lb.
NUTS—Eng. Walnuts, 20c. ℔lb; Cocoanuts, 12½.ea; Almonds—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan, 75c.; Brazil, 37½c. Chestnuts, 37½c.
ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c. ℔lb.; Ox Tongues 75c. ea.; Smoked Tongues, $1 ea.
BEEF—Roasts, 10@12½c. ℔lb; Soup, 7c.
MUTTON—8@12½c. ℔lb.
PORK—10@12½c. ℔lb; Tenderloins, 20c.
SAUSAGES—25c. ℔lb.
VEAL—10@12½c. ℔lb.; Sweetbreads, 25c. ℔pair.
LAMB—10@12½c. ℔lb.
SUET—10c. ℔lb.
CHICKENS—50c. ea.; Fowls, 62½c. ea.
TURKEYS—25c. ℔lb.
DUCKS—Young, 75c. ea.
RABBITS—50c. ea.
GROUSE—37½@62½c. ℔ pr; Quail, 3 for 50c.
VENISON—4c. ℔lb all round.
COAL OIL—$3 ℔ tin; ℔ case, $5 50.
OYSTERS—75c. ℔ quart.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES! ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT PROROGUED.

The Queen's Speech from the Throne.

NO REFERENCE TO THE CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

[Exclusive Dispatch to The Colonist.]

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Parliament was prorogued to-day. The Speech from the Throne was delivered by special commission. The Queen, after announcing that relations of the Government with other powers continue cordial, refers to the faithful execution of the principal clauses of the Treaty of Berlin and the near realization of the remainder. On the subject of reforms in Turkey the Queen speaks of the calamities of the war, explaining the delay, but declares her purpose to insist upon the Porte's complying with its engagements. The Queen calls attention to the change for the better that has already taken place in Egypt. In alluding to the successful termination of the contest in Afghanistan Her Majesty takes notice of the gallantry displayed by British Commanders and the courage and endurance of troops. The Zulu war next engages the attention of the Queen and, while expressing pleasure at recent important successes of the British arms in that quarter, Her Majesty confesses her sorrow at the sacrifice of precious lives occasioned by the war. An early peace on an enduring basis is promised as the result of events in South Africa. The Queen expresses her thanks to the House of Commons, as is customary, for furnishing supplies. Her Majesty refers in commendatory terms to various measures, including the Army Discipline Bill, Acts for the appointment of public prosecutors, amending law relating to summary jurisdiction of magistrates, and alteration of laws relating to banking and joint stock companies. The Speech concludes as follows: I have much pleasure in complying with your request to appoint a commission to enquire into the causes of depression in trade. I observe with satisfaction that you have agreed to a measure relative to education in Ireland which affords a very desirable addition to the Education Act. In bidding you farewell, I pray that the blessing of Providence will rest on your labors.

MALICIOUS.—Certain of the stakes placed in their proper positions at James Bay by Messrs. Mahood & Cridge in the prosecution of the official survey of the city have been removed by parties with malicious or mischievous intent. The persons guilty of the offence should know that a heavy penalty attaches to the unauthorized removal of official land-marks.

REAL ESTATE SALE.—Attention is directed to the sale of real estate to be made by Messrs. W. R. Clarke & Co. at their auction rooms at noon to-day. Full particulars as to the locality and extent of the property to be offered will be found in our advertising columns.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The steamship City of Chester is announced to sail from Esquimalt for San Francisco at noon on Wednesday next.

COAL OIL.—The steamship Victoria, now on her way from San Francisco and consigned to Messrs. Engelhardt & Co., has on board nearly 100 tons of coal oil.

County Court.

[Before Hon. A. F. Pemberton.]

FRIDAY, August 15th.

Tong Sing vs. W. Carter. Judgment in favor of plaintiff against the defendant for $16.80 due for washing, together with costs, was given on May 30th last. Defendant pleaded that he had since been unable to pay, being out of employment and sick. His Honor ordered defendant to pay $10 within a month and the balance at the rate of $2.50 per month.

W. P. Sayward vs. C. Bloomfield. An action to recover $60 alleged to be due for lumber supplied by plaintiff to defendant in December, 1877. Judgment deferred until Tuesday next.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[Exclusive Dispatch to the Colonist.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 15.—Ophir 37¾; Mex 36¼; G & C 12½; B & B 19; Cala 5⅝; Savage 13¾; Con Va 4.55; Chollar 6¾; Potosi 5; H & N 14⅛; Point 4.60; Jacket 17⅞; Imperial 1.60; Kentuck 5; Alpha 25; Belcher 4.20; Confidence 11¾; S Nev 49½; Utah 22; Exchequer 6⅝; Bullion 6½; Overman 9¼; Justice 3.35; Union 66¾; Alta 7⅛; Julia 4.55; S Hill 1¾; Challenge 2.60; Ward 2.

MARINE.—The steamer Alexander arrived in Royal Roads yesterday morning having in tow the ships Reporter and Belvidere, both coal laden and bound for San Francisco. The former vessel has on board 2150 tons from Messrs. Dunsmuir, Diggle & Co.'s mine, Departure Bay, and the Belvidere's cargo consists of 2100 tons from the V. C. Co.'s mine. The Reporter was towed out to the Cape yesterday by the Alexander and the Belvidere will go to sea to-day.... The Sierra Nevada, loading at Wellington for San Francisco will complete her cargo to-day and be towed down by the steamer Beaver.... The only vessel now loading at Nanaimo is the ship Occidental bound for San Francisco. At South Wellington the bark Montana is loading for the same port.

ACCIDENT WHILE IN A "ROB ROY."—Off Curtis Point on Thursday a young gentleman of this city had a very narrow escape from drowning. He was seated in a Rob Roy canoe, when the frail bark turned bottom-up. The construction of a Rob Roy is peculiar and it is difficult to get one's feet clear when it goes over. The consequence was that the occupant was suspended head downward for half-a-minute, and but for the timely arrival of a party in a boat and his own exertions to free his feet he must have been drowned.

IT COST only $500 to send the Premier of Quebec and a secretary to England and bring them back again last winter, and the Legislature says the charge is exorbitant. In 1874 it cost $5,500 to send *our* Premier (bad luck to him!) to England and bring him back again. Had he taken the $5,500 and remained away altogether, the bargain would have been a profitable one for the country. But to spend the $5,500 and come back too, was altogether too awfully overpowering.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.—This body was dissolved yesterday by resolution. It was founded in 1864 and once numbered 175 members. We believe the membership at the last was about twelve. The late Henry Rhodes was president of the Chamber at the time of his death and for many years previously. The books, etc., have been passed over to the newly formed and well organized Board of Trade.

THE steamer Enterprise left at 8 a. m. yesterday morning for New Westminster with the mails and the following passengers: Miss Woods, Miss F. Woods, Miss L. Woods, Mrs. Couves and two children, Miss J. Jones, Miss K. Langley, Miss M. Langley, Miss Odin, Mrs. McBride, Miss McBride, Archdeacon Woods, Rev. Gilbert, Capt. Revely, Messrs. A. J. Langley, W. Langley, G. Odin, S. Jones and several others.

R. E. CHURCH.—At the convention of this Church at Ottawa on the 13th inst. it was resolved to deprecate any separation from the Reformed Episcopal Church as established by the late Bishop Cummins, and not to fuse with Bishop Gregg's party. It was also resolved to form a Synod and to request the presiding Elders to appoint a Bishop of Canada.

THE steamer Cariboo-Fly left at 7 a.m. yesterday for Nanaimo with the mails and the following passengers: Mrs. Davie, Mrs. Muir, Mrs. Lindsay, Miss Wingate, Miss Lilley, Dr. Davie, Messrs. Braden, D. Lindsay, W. White, W. J. Sutton, F. Partridge, G. Wynne, S. Wootten, Calhane, W. A. Robertson.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt left at 8 a.m. yesterday for New Westminster with the following passengers: Miss Reynolds, Mrs. Papst, Miss Dickenson, Miss Barnard, and Messrs. J. A. Mara, G. Cushing, Hixon, R. Fry, J. Rogers, T. Moody, Kennedy, D. S. Hennessey and several others.

NANAIMO ASSIZES.—We are told that the Government have in contemplation the holding of a Court of Assize at Nanaimo. We believe that they have had the matter in contemplation for about ten months. When they cease to contemplate they will probably act.

THE London *Times* says the piles of old London bridge, driven over eight hundred years ago, were found to be in good condition when the new bridge was created in 1828, and those which served as the foundation for Trajan's bridge over the Danube, A.D. 105, are said to be still visible at low stages of water.

NEW STORES.—Two of the substantial and commodious brick stores now in the course of completion on Johnson street for Mr. C. Bossi, have been leased—one by Mr. L. Blum, general dry goods dealer, the other by Mr. J. Drout, grocer and baker.

MUNICIPAL POLICE COURT.—At this Court yesterday an Indian charged with being in possession of an intoxicant was remanded until Monday, and two drunk and disorderlies were fined five shillings each.

ON THE WAY.—The steamship Victoria sailed from San Francisco for Nanaimo on Thursday evening last. She will call at Esquimalt on the way up to discharge 100 tons of freight which she has on board for this port.

THE DEFENCES.—Cols. Lovell and Strange visited and examined the Metchosin shore line in the Penguin's steam launch yesterday.

THE steamship California, due from Sitka and Fort Wrangel, had not arrived at Nanaimo up to 8 o'clock last evening.

IN TOWN.—Mr. Robt. John, who lost his right arm by an accident while mowing, is in town and rapidly convalescing.

Waltham Watch Agency.

The undersigned hereby respectfully notifies his customers and the public generally that he is the

ORIGINAL AGENT FOR THE WALTHAM WATCHES

and has been for the PAST SIX YEARS. On account of a reduction at the factory he now offers the

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PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—On Thursday last Mr. Geo. Palmer, whilst in the act of gathering fruit from a tree situate in the garden of a friend residing on Pandora street, was precipitated to the ground and sustained injuries of a serious nature, his left shoulder being dislocated and the bone of the arm broken close to the socket. He was conveyed to the Royal Hospital and attended by Drs. Matthews and Davie; being a subscriber, however, to the French Hospital he was subsequently taken to that institution. An accident of this character is of very rare occurrence.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt will leave for Nanaimo and New Westminster immediately after her arrival from the Mainland this afternoon, returning early on Monday morning.

BEECHY BAY.—The Indians in this locality are catching lots of salmon. Two thousand were taken on Thursday and dried for winter use there.

THE LATE MRS. MAYER.—Mr. Mayer arrived from Nanaimo yesterday. The remains of Mrs. Mayer will be taken to Portland for interment.

GONE NORTH.—The steamer Otter left Departure Bay at noon on Thursday last for the North.

THE STRIKE AT SEATTLE.—The strike of coal miners at Seattle is at an end, the miners acceding to the company's terms.

How to Succeed in Life.

Mr. Robert Lowe, M. P., ex-Chancellor of the Exchequer, said recently in an address to the children of a London orphan asylum: "I am a person who has had to struggle hard in the battle of life, and I will tell you what I believe to be one of the greatest elements of success, and that is that I think there is nothing that helps a young man or woman in life so much as strict and rigid self-control, economy and self-denial. It is the custom to say that youth is the time for enjoyment, and so it is; but nature and youth have provided that enjoyment for themselves. When people are young mere existence is a pleasure. The earth and the air and the skies seem to open to them a paradise; but when they get older these delights gradually fade away from them and they need the more adventitious and expensive pleasures. What I, therefore, would strongly advise everyone of you is to consider that when you go into the world perhaps the first thing you have got to do is, next to dealing honestly with that which is entrusted to you, to take care that you should keep clear of debt, and if possible by self-denial to lay by something for the future in case of sickness or other misfortune. It seems to me that it is a duty which is not sufficiently inculcated on young people. You will find in life that if you behave well and do your duty all the difficulty is concentrated in the first step. It is the first advance which men and women make in life which more or less decides their future. The beginnings of life are all crowded. For everything that is to be had there is great competition; but when people have once made a step, and have proved that they are worthy, all the rest is comparatively easy. It has been my duty often to pick out persons for situations, and my experience is that when the great mass is penetrated, and you have got to persons who have advanced one or two steps, the difficulty is not that we are overwhelmned with persons fit for the place but to get any one who is fit for it. Therefore your object in life should be to begin with the greatest care, attention and self-denial so to make this first step as to distinguish yourself as being trustworthy and reliable in all particulars, and if you once attract the notice of your employer, and he sees you are well and honestly discharging your duty, you may rely upon it you are in a fair way to make yourselves independent and to lead a happy life."

Religious Intelligence.

OLD CATHOLIC SYNODS.—For the first time, three Old Catholic synods have been held this year—that is to say, one in Germany, one in Austria, and one in Switzerland. They all met on the same day.

PAPAL RELATIONS WITH ENGLAND.—A correspondent of the London *Standard* revives the report that the Pope contemplates a renewal of efforts to establish diplomatic relations with England, being persuaded that it would be a great moral advantage to the Church.

Leo XIII is said by the Rome correspondent of the *Catholic Standard* to have a passion for severe study. Study is his recreation. He has provided for scholastic tournaments every year. He himself presided recently at a tournament with intense pleasure, and distributed the prizes.

Twelve large donations to missionary societies have been made within a few months, aggregating $3,000,000 and upward. Miss Lapsley, of Indiana, left $300,000 to the Presbyterian Board, and Deacon Otis of Connecticut, $973,000 to the American Board. Gifts of $100,000 cash from India and Africa are included in the list.

Dr. Cumming, the once popular London preacher, is broken down in mind, body, and estate. Twenty-five years ago he drew immense congregations; now an appeal for money to buy him an annuity brings few subscriptions. He is 72 years old.

BY ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.

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Morning Dispatch.

AUSTRIA.

LONDON, Aug. 17.—The *Standard's* Vienna dispatch reports that the fire in Serajevo is not yet extinguished. Twenty soldiers of the garrison are reported killed, wounded or missing.

VIENNA, Aug. 14.—The new Austrian Cisleithan cabinet has been formed. Several posts fall to the Liberals in addition to the portfolios previously held.

SWITZERLAND.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Intelligence has come from Switzerland that it is expected the St. Gothard Mountain will be pierced and the tunnel carried right through by the end of the present year.

RUSSIA.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The Turcomans are retiring on Merv and the northern desert. They have sent several thousand sheep to Khiva to exchange for corn for the coming campaign. It is reported that an English merchant has sold to Tekki Turcomans 1,800 Martini rifles.

AFRICA.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Harry M. Stanley arrived at Sierra Leone on the 24th July and started for the river Congo.

Afternoon Dispatch.

FAILURE OF THE PANAMA CANAL PROJECT.

EMIGRATION OF BRITISH MINERS.

The War in South America.

GREAT BRITAIN.

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 14.—Of 800,000 shares of the Panama canal scheme put on the market about 20,000 shares have been applied for and those chiefly through the syndicate supporting the scheme. Despite this undoubted failure it is known in financial circles at London that De Lesseps, backed by the members of the French Syndicate, is determined to persevere with the project.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—The House of Lords has adopted the Commons' amendment to the Irish University Bill making provisions for fellowships, scholarships and other ordinary endowments similar to those of London University. The House of Commons finally passed the bill enabling banks of unlimited liability to become banks of limited liability and authorizing such banks to increase the nominal value of their shares.

A conference of delegates representing 200,000 miners was held in Manchester yesterday. McDonald, president of the conference, pointed out that there was some opening for miners in the United States as during the recent depression in mining industry in Pennsylvania and elsewhere numbers of men sought other employment. A resolution was unanimously passed in favor of emigration to the United States.

GREECE.

LONDON, Aug. 14.—Advices from Tanina state that slight encounters have already taken place near the Greek frontier. The tone of the newspapers in Athens is becoming warlike.

AUSTRIA.

SERAJEVO, Aug. 14.—A mob on Tuesday attempted to plunder a military store and collected threateningly before the barracks. During a fire many cartridges exploded in burning houses. The report that the fire is not yet extinguished refers to smouldering ruins.

AFRICA.

FORT DURNFORD, July 22.—King Cetewayo made another effort to-day to ascertain whether his liberty would be granted him if he submitted. He said that he had been completely deserted by his warriors.

SPAIN.

MADRID, Aug. 14.—Several fires, some incendiary, are reported in the provinces. In one case thirty houses were destroyed and 34 persons perished.

The Spanish Minister of Foreign Affairs has requested an explanation from the Mexican Government respecting the recent assassination of Spanish subjects in Mexico. It is stated that the Spaniards demand the payment of an indemnity to the families of the deceased and the punishment of the assassins.

ITALY.

ROME, Aug. 14.—The health of the Pope has visibly declined. His physicians insist on an immediate change of air, but the Pope refuses to change his residence.

SOUTH AMERICA.

NEW YORK, Aug. 14.—The *Star and Herald* of Panama says Chili loses over one million dollars by recent raids of the Peruvian warship Huascar. Italaina has been evacuated by the Chilians and all their forces are concentrated at Antofagasta preparatory, it is said, to a descent upon the Peruvian coast. Business in Peru and on the whole coast is utterly demoralized.

CANADA.

HALIFAX, Aug. 14.—David Gates, of Margaretsville, killed his wife and then drowned himself.

Evening Dispatch.

CALIFORNIA.

MODESTO, Cal., Aug. 15—Last night about one hundred men visited all the gambling houses, dance houses and Chinese dens and gave them notice to close up and leave town within 24 hours or abide by the consequences, and this morning there was an emigration. About ten days ago a young girl about 13 years of age was met by one Kelly and tempted into a house of illfame. Her father left a sick bed and arrived last night. He met the seducer of his child at the depot, drew a pocket knife and stabbed him several times in the abdomen. The wounds are said to be mortal.

Is it a Hoax.

The following communication written by a good penman on a leaf taken from an ordinary memorandum book and enclosed in an unstamped envelope, reached the San Francisco *Bulletin* office through the mails and may be taken in sober seriousness or as a hoax: "Editor *Bulletin:* You will soon hear of another poor cuss, who, tired of life, has shot himself, drowned himself or taken poison. I propose doing one of these three things very shortly, for I can't get a dime's worth of work in your city. I am hungry from morning until night. My clothes have got old, my shoes worn out. As long as I could look respectable I tried to get respectable employment. Now that I look like the devil, I am shunned like the devil. Your cold winds go through me like a knife. My undershirt is a bit of carpet fished from an ash barrel. I often go for a day and a night without food, and have been so hungry that I have eaten garbage. I make a business of skulking into coffee rooms and fruit stores after business hours, begging for stale rolls and rotten fruit, and get nothing for my pains half the time. Sleeping wherever I may, I have cold upon cold and am so weak from ague and rheumatism that I have got past working. This is my condition. Perhaps if I stated my case openly I might get a little assistance and some sympathy, but it would not make me a man again. I never drank in my life, but all my misery has come upon me because I am a rover and not a setting hen. My wife is dead, and my little daughter, the idol of wealthy grandparents. I have traveled in Europe on $5,000 a year, and footed it from Irkutz in Siberia to Moscow in Russia, dead broke. Came to California from India, by way of China. Have met with more charity from wild Tartars on the steppes of Siberia and Russian peasants in the interior of Russia than I have found in civilized San Francisco. God forgive me. My mother thought me dead long ago. God bless her, and whoever reads this let them always love their mother.

P.S.—Do you think if I wrote an account of my journeys, say in Siberia, I could get anything for them? No, no! I can't write. I am crazy. I know I am. I am so hungry. Good-bye.

Lady Waldegrave's Funeral---After Luncheon Her Will is Read.

The funeral of the "esteemed and lamented" Countess Waldegrave—to use the phrase of the London *News*—took place on the 11th inst. in the parish churchyard of Chewton near Bristol, England. The coffin and chancel were decorated with wreathes and crosses. Lord Carlingford, the husband of the dead lady, was already in the church when the other mourners arrived. The vault near by is a new one, lined with cream-colored enameled tiles, and surrounded by roses and leaves of various colors so arranged that no earth was visible. The outer coffin was covered with crimson velvet and ornamented with brass mountings. On the lid, beneath a Countess's coronet was the inscription:

Frances Elizth Anne.
Dowager Countess Waldegrave, and
Wife of Chichester Samuel,
Baron Carlingford.
Born 4 January, 1821.
Died 5 July, 1879.

The nearest relatives of the Countess returned to Chewton Priory after the funeral, ate luncheon and listened to the reading of her will. With the exception of a few legacies, she left her property to Lord Carlingford for life, and afterward to Earl Waldegrave and his heirs. She had often said that she intended to return her wealth to the Waldegraves, from whom it came.

How They Like Talmage in London.

[London Echo, July 15.]

A correspondent gives an illustration of the elegant manner in which Dr. Talmage points a moral. In his lecture on the "Bright Side of Things," delivered at the Temperance Fete at the Crystal Palace, as an instance of "the ruling passion strong," he related the following, "Ah," said a man who was on a sick bed to his wife, "I am going to heaven." "You'll look very pretty," said she, "stuck up in heaven." "Bring me the broom," he shouted, "and let me give you another walloping before I die." We did not want a doctor of divinity to come from the other side of the Atlantic to speak in this manner, as we have preachers in the east end of London and cab drivers all over London who can do as well, if not better.

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Captain Chas. E. Foye, of the Barkentine Amelia, reports that the schooner B. H. Ramsdell, owned by Tufts & Co. of San Francisco, was wrecked at Kauai Island, July 10th, after the steamer left, and was a total loss. She had discharged her Hawaiian cargo and had a Honolulu cargo aboard when lost. She struck on a reef in leaving the harbor. No lives lost.

A man was arrested here to-day, supposed to be Mitchell, the terror of Columbia River fishermen.

The schooner Malolo, built by Hall Brothers at Port Ludlow, left Port Townsend for Honolulu June 28th, and made the trip in eleven days and a half.

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No. 4 contains about 2 .86 acres.
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ALSO—Lots Nos. 9 and 10 John street cultivated and planted, with a Frame House on the property containing six rooms hard finished throughout, and now now occupied by Mr. C. P. Bloomfield.

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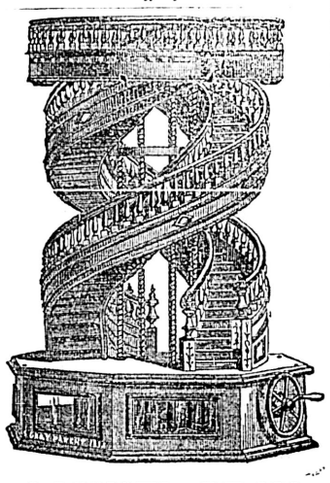

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

A Bylaw to prohibit the erection of Wooden Buildings within certain Fire Limits within the City of Victoria:

1. That such part of the City bounded on the North by Johnson street, on the South by Fort street, on the East by Broad street and on the West by the Water Frontage be hereby declared within the Fire Limits of the City of Victoria. The centre of Johnson to centre of Fort from centre of Broad shall be limits referred to above.

2. All Buildings hereafter erected within the Fire Limits shall have their outside Walls and party Walls made of Brick, Stone or other incombustible material and such outside Walls shall extend four feet above Wall Plate of Roof, and party Walls shall also extend to same height above Wall Plate of Roof. Roofs shall be covered with such material as will afford protection against Fire and the Walls shall be so constructed as to separate all Wood Work thoroughly and completely of the interior and exterior of such Building from all and every part of the interior and exterior of any adjoining Building. If the apex of Roof should exceed the height of Fire Walls, then the Roof must be covered with such material as will afford protection against Fire. In the case of Gables the Walls are to be carried up to the full height of the Apex of said Roof. The term Building, as applied in this Section, shall not include Privies or Sheds for storage of Coal, Wood or Wharf Sheds.

3. All Repairs to Buildings constructed of brick, stone, or other incombustible materials, shall be made to conform to this Ordinance.

4. The Wooden Building within the said Fire Limits shall not be altered or changed without the written permission of the Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department, approved by a majority of the Fire Wardens, which permit shall specify fully the alterations or changes required, and no such permit shall be given if any increase will be made by the proposed change or alteration in the size of any Wooden Building within the said Limits, or if such repairs or alterations will increase the value of such building more than Twenty-five per cent. The applications therefor and a copy of each of such permits shall be kept on file in the office of the City Clerk.

5. No Building within the said Fire Limits shall be removed except to a portion of the same lot on which it stands or to a point outside the Fire Limits.

6. Whenever any building shall be by any means so much injured as to be, in the judgment of the Chief Engineer and a majority of the Fire Wardens, a dangerous nuisance, or when any Wooden Building within the said Fire Limits shall, in the judgment of the Chief Engineer and a majority of the Fire Wardens, be damaged by fire to the extent of one-half or more of its actual value, the Chief Engineer shall cause to be served upon the owner or person having control thereof a notice requiring such person to remove the same forthwith, and the person receiving such notice shall within ten days after receiving the same comply with the requirements thereof.

7. *One Story Buildings*—Foundations to be not less than eighteen inches in thickness and not less than eighteen inches in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may be, brick walls to be not less than twelve inches thick. *Two Story Buildings*—Foundations to be not less than twenty-two inches thick and not less than eighteen inches in the hard clay or gravel, as the case may be. *Brick Walls*—Ground floor to be not less than seventeen inches thick; first floor not less than twelve inches thick.

8. Any person or persons violating any of the provisions of this Bylaw shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof before the Police Court shall be punished by a fine of not less than ten or more than one hundred dollars, and each day of maintaining or continuing such violation shall be deemed a new offence and punished accordingly.

9. The Chief Engineer of the Victoria Fire Department and the Fire Wardens are required to see that the provisions of this Bylaw are enforced and to make complaints in the Police Court for violation thereof.

10. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "The Bylaw for Prohibiting the Erection of Wooden Buildings, 1879."

Passed the Municipal Council this Sixteenth day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-nine.

WM. LEIGH,
Clerk to the Municipal Council.

J. H. TURNER, MAYOR.

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MUNICIPAL BYLAW.

A Bylaw to Amend the Victoria Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

The Schedule A amended to the Bylaw entitled "The Victoria Revenue Bylaw, 1879," is hereby amended by the addition of the following words, which shall be read with and form part of the Schedule referred to in the said Bylaw:

"That each and every vehicle plying "for hire in the public streets of the City "of Victoria shall pay a rate of $2.50 for "every six months."

This Bylaw may be cited as The Victoria Amendment Revenue Bylaw, 1879.

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